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25X1X The following table gives the total number of salaried employees in the DDR with a breakdown into industrial branches, indicating average salaries. The figures for 1950 are the average figures, the figures for 1951 are the prospective figures based on the Five-Year-Plan. The figures are in thousands of persons.

| Branch of Industry | Employees | Employees | Average Salaries | Average Salaries |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|------------------|
| | 1950 | 1951 | 1950 in DM. | 1951 in DM. |
| Industry (incl. socialized enterprises) | 2,350.7 | 2,540.5 | 3,039 | 3,223 |
| Artisans | (1,580.4) | (1,725.9) | 3,141 | 3,396 |
| Transportation, post and communication (incl. socialized enterprises) | 575.0 | 580.0 | 2,770 | 2,900 |
| Agriculture and forestry (incl. MAS and socialized farms) | 445.0 | 455.0 | 3,080 | 3,300 |
| Construction (incl. socialized enterprises) | (373.5) | (387.3) | 3,076 | 3,427 |
| Trade and commerce (incl. socialized enterprises) | 851.0 | 851.0 | 1,900 | 1,960 |
| Administration, public utilities | (77.4) | (95.3) | 2,284 | 2,296 |
| Miscellaneous (incl. domest. help, dental assistants, etc.) | 390.0 | 440.0 | 3,100 | 3,320 |
| Total employees | (98.7) | (206.7) | 3,195 | 3,479 |
| Employees in socialized enterprises | 532.4 | 540.0 | 2,750 | 2,750 |
| Employees of Wismuth AG | (147.2) | (214.0) | 3,340 | 3,367 |
| Employees of Wismuth AG | 943.8 | 970.0 | 3,200 | 3,250 |
| Total salaried employees in DDR | 256.0 | 256.0 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Total employees | 6,343.9 | 6,632.4* | 2,826 | 2,963 |
| Employees in socialized enterprises | (2,277.2) | (2,629.2) | 3,117 | 3,365 |
| Employees of Wismuth AG | 242.0 | 283.0 | 4,309 | 4,824 |
| Total salaried employees in DDR | 6,585.9 | 6,915.4 | | |

* Comment: Total as received. Correct total: 6632.5.

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